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TO DECEDENT FORM IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

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Application No.: 09/518,709

Group Art Unit: 2815

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For: MANUFACTURE METHOD FOR

SEMICONDUCTOR WITH SMALL VARIATION IN MOS THRESHOLD

VOLTAGE

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

FEE CALCULATION

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SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

SPECIFICATION

X	There are no amendments to the specification.
	Marked up replacement(s) paragraphs are presented in a separate section.
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	There are no amendments to the claims.
X	A complete listing of all claims ever present in this case in
asc	ending order with status identifier is presented in a separate section.